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## Abstract

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Title compds. I [W = CH or N; R1, R2 and R3 independently = H, aryl, heteroaryl, etc.; R4 and R5 independently = H, S-aryl, O-aryl, etc. or together form a heterocyclic ring; R6 = (un)substituted aryl or heteroaryl; R7 = (CO)R, (CO)NR2, (CO)OR, etc.; R = H or A; A = (un)substituted alkyl or cycloalkyl] and their pharmaceutically acceptable salts, are prepd. and disclosed as inhibitors of Eg5 proteins. Thus, e.g., II was prepd. by coupling of 4-thiocyanatoaniline with 3-hydroxybenzaldehyde and 1-vinyl-2-pyrrolidinone. The inhibitory capability of I was evaluated in inhibition assays using Eg5-ATPase activity and it was revealed that selected compds. of the invention displayed enhanced inhibitory activity. I as inhibitors of Eg5 proteins should prove useful in the treatment of certain cancers, such as bladder, stomach and colon. Pharmaceutical compns. comprising I are disclosed.

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